

WOMEN FAIL TO AGREE ON VOTE

Senate Put in Quandary Over Their Divisions.

THEIR LEADER EMBARRASSED

Senator Ashurst Doesn't Know What to Do—Petitions from Every State Favoring and Opposing Early Vote on Suffrage Amendment to Constitution—Miss Paul Issues Statement.

Washington, March 17.—There has been a cross fire of telegrams memorializing the senate for and against an early vote on woman suffrage. Senator Ashurst of Arizona, who is in charge of the woman suffrage resolution, has received telegrams from nearly every state in the union from suffragists, both for and against an early vote, and submitted them all to the clerk of the senate to be read. The reading aroused considerable merriment in the senate chamber. Senator Smoot interposed the suggestion that no votes would be changed in favor of the resolution by the delay and he asked for a vote as soon as possible. Several asked Mr. Ashurst what he proposed to do about it.

It Embarrasses Ashurst. "That is a question to answer which would involve me in considerable embarrassment," he replied. Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the Congressional union, which has been traveling through the states, working up interest in the national suffrage demonstration on May 2, has issued a statement in which she announces that if the Thomas amendment is voted on and defeated that another resolution will be introduced on the following day and the fight renewed.

MME. CAILLAUX SHOOT EDITOR

Charges Paris Figaro Is Unfair to Her Husband.

VICTIM SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

The Newspaper Harped on Story That M. Caillaux, Minister of Finance, Had Extorted Money for Election Purposes—Assault Fires Five Shots, One Taking Effect.

Paris, France, March 17.—Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, was shot and severely wounded in the office of the Figaro by Mme. Caillaux, wife of Joseph Caillaux, French minister of finance. The reason for the crime was said to be anger against M. Calmette who had been waging a campaign characterized by great bitterness and animosity against the minister of finance.

Accused of Extortion.

Early in January M. Calmette accused M. Caillaux of attempting to extort money from various persons for electoral purposes, and the incident gave rise to a heated debate in the chamber of deputies. The charges were categorically denied by M. Caillaux, but the editor of the Figaro persisted in his assertion.

Woman Fires Several Shots.

At the time of the shooting M. Calmette was preparing to leave the office when Mme. Caillaux entered, seeking the editor. On finding Mr. Calmette, she advanced toward him and without uttering a word, drew a revolver and fired several shots, one of which lodged in M. Calmette's chest. He fell groaning to the ground.

FEDS GET COOPER OF GIANTS

Outfielder Signs Three Year Contract to Play with Brooklyn.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 17.—Outfielder Claude Cooper of the New York National league baseball team announced he had signed a three year contract with the Brooklyn Federals. His salary was said to be \$5,000 a year, of which he received one year's pay in advance.

Shocks Recorded at Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 17.—Disturbances recorded by the seismograph at St. Ignatius' observatory here early in the day indicate an earthquake of forty minutes' duration at a distance of 5,000 miles. The shocks began at 2:56 a. m., and lasted until 3:16 a. m.

Two in Daring Prison Escape.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 17.—Using a strip of carpet for a rope, Lloyd Pittsburger and Bert Adams slid down from windows in the chapel at the United States military prison here and escaped.

Michigan Boy Killed by Log.

Escanaba, Mich., March 17.—John Sanstrom, ten years old, of Gladstone, was instantly killed by a rolling log.

GETS 55,000 SPECKLED TROUT

Consignment for Penney Creek Five Times Larger Than Usual.

Newaygo, Mich., March 17.—A consignment of 55,000 speckled trout fry has been received from the United States hatchery at Northville, for planting in Penney creek and its tributaries. This is five times the usual number. Next week the fish commissioner will send the regular consignment of 9,000 fry.

The state has been stocking since 1873.

TO TEACH IN STATE NORMAL

W. I. Isbell Quits Job as Plymouth School Head.

Plymouth, Mich., March 17.—Charles F. Reeb, of Colon, has been hired to succeed W. I. Isbell, who has been superintendent of the schools here for the last ten years.

Mr. Isbell resigns to go to Ypsilanti where he will teach psychology at the Ypsilanti State Normal summer session.

BAN ON PROBLEM PICTURE

"The Traffic in Souls" Will Not "Educate" People of Lansing.

Lansing, Mich., March 17.—After an early morning private exhibition of a film of "The Traffic in Souls," the Lansing city officials prevented a performance at a local theater.

The show was to have been here the entire week.

Most disgusting skin eruptions, acrochord, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters is a cleansing blood tonic. Makes you clear-eyed, clear-brained, clear-skinned.

Order of Publication.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Shiawassee.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County held at the Probate Office in the City of Corunna, on Saturday the 16th day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Present, Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of George Haines deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of John Haines praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles W. Jennings or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 15th day of April next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be assigned for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Shiawassee News-Paper printed and circulating in said County of Shiawassee.

MATTHEW BUSH, Probate Register.

Notice of Primary Election.

To the Electors of the City of Owosso:

Take notice, that the city primary election of the City of Owosso, Michigan, will be held in said city on Monday, the twenty-third day of March, 1914, for the purpose of nominating candidates for each of the following named offices, namely: A Mayor for a term of three years; a Commissioner of public utilities for a term of two years; a Commissioner of public improvements for a term of one year, and a constable for a term of two years.

The following named places are hereby designated according to a resolution of the Common Council of said City as the polling places in said city for said primary election:

First ward—No. 311 North Main street. Second ward—Owosso Times Printing Office, East Main street. Third ward—City Hall, East Main street. Fourth ward—Fourth ward voting booth, South Water street. Fifth ward—No. 1009 West Main street.

The polls of said primary election will be open from seven o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Dated March 6th, 1914.

ARTHUR H. DUMOND, City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Room, City of Owosso, March 16, 1914.

Regular meeting of Council, Mayor J. H. Brandel presiding.

Aldermen present at roll call: McDonald, Spriggs, Palmer, Conant, Chavay, Washburn, O'Leary, Reineke, Stinson, Wright, Absent, Shultz.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved as printed.

PRESENTATION OF ACCOUNTS

The claims and accounts were presented as noted below and on motion same were referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

Owosso, Mich., March 16, 1914.

To the Mayor and Council of Owosso, Mich. Gentlemen:

Below is a statement of receipts and disbursements of the City of Owosso for the month of February with a detailed statement of the balance in various funds March 1st, 1914.

Balance Feb. 1st, 1914 \$ 47181.94

RECEIPTS

Contingent Fund 6.25
Interest on Deposits 60.30
Justice fees and fines 26.80 95.35

Water Works Collections 1281.82
Howell St. Sewer Special Collections 21.58
W. Main St. Pavement 39.00
Special Collections 135.19 1633.34

\$ 43414.58

DISBURSEMENTS

Fund 292.71
Contingent 286.74
Police Dept 62.29
Sidewalk 62.29
Gen. Street 62.29
Int. and Sinking 812.25
Fire Department 908.28
Water Works 941.54
City St. Highway 7.46
Third Dist Highway 12.70
Fourth Dist Highway 6.15
Five sidewalk tax amount \$64.50 and amount 39.00
Health 70.88
Light 701.38
Hickory St. Sewer 23.93
N. Owsosso Trunk Sewer 36.00
Library 80.80
General Sidewalk 206.61 4596.19

Balance March 1st, 1914 \$ 37285.39

FUND BALANCES

Contingent \$ 357.97
Police Department 2361.00
Sidewalk 118.29
General Street 118.29
Interest & Sinking 2669.78

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Bonds \$366.54
S. N. K. Bridge Bonds 760.58
S. N. K. Ref. Amort. Bonds 2947.76
1914 Bridge Bonds 124.47
Fire Dept. 4016.65

Water Works 2401.01
First District Highway 89.58
Second District Highway 127.99
Third District Highway 181.16
Fourth District Highway 413.63
Fifth District Highway 124.47

General Sewer 120.47
Health 241.77
Light 4039.17
Lateral Sewer 38.08
Chipman St. Sewer No. 3 5.80
C. D. & M. St. Sewer 26.50
Comstock St. Sewer (1911) 81
Comstock St. Sewer No. 4 55.91
Corunna Ave Lateral sewer 136.88
Division St. Lateral Sewer 44.18
Grace St. Sewer 7.29
Hickory St. Lateral No. 16 21.88
Howell St. Sewer 58.86
E. Main St. Sewer Ext. 21.68
Saginaw St. Sewer No. 2 20.08
Muberry St. Sewer 20.08

North Owsosso Trunk 142.72
Oakwood & Main St. Sewer 10.88
Park St. Sewer No. 12 44.44
Railroad & Grand 20.53
Saginaw St. Sewer No. 14 3.33
Saginaw St. Sewer 13.92
S. Owsosso Trunk Sewer 110.19
State St. Sewer No. 2 10.64
State St. Sewer No. 9 28.99
Wash St. Sewer No. 10 107.44
Wash & Ridge St. Sewer 10.80
Woodlawn Railroad 3.60

Alger Ave Sewer 12.88
Williams & Oak St. Sewer 20.16
Street paving 71.38
East Main St. Pav. 50.07
Mich. Ave Pavement 925.55
Oliver & Wash St. Pav 629.82
Washington St. Curb 190.29
Washington St. Curb 54.27
W. Main St. Pavement No. 2 184.54
Saginaw St. Curb No. 2 139.29
Mason St. Curb No. 2 165.48
Library 1453.58
Hickory Drain Extension No. 1 81.73
W. Main St. Pav. Rep. 229.47
Hickory St. Opening 17.50
Park road 19.18
General sidewalk 14.14

\$ 37285.39

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR H. DUMOND, City Clerk.

February 26, 1914

Report of Owosso City Treasurer for January 1914.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of Owosso, Mich. Gentlemen:

Below is a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the City Treasurer's Office for the month of January 1914, with detailed statement of balances in various funds February 1st, 1914:

Balance on hand Jan. 1st, 1914 \$ 47181.94

RECEIPTS

Contingent 6.25
Justice's receipts 51.61
Int. on deposits 73.40
City's receipts 34.50 161.51

Fire Dept. 4016.65
City Clerk Collections 25 25
Water Works 2401.01
Board of Public Works 2023.69 2023.69
Livestock Fund 8.55 8.55
City Clerk 2194.00

\$ 49377.57

DISBURSEMENTS

Contingent 276.48
Police Department 436.84
Sidewalk 62.29
General Street 62.29
Int. and Sinking 812.25
Fire Dept. 908.28
Water Works 941.54
City St. Highway 7.46
Third Dist Highway 12.70
Fourth Dist Highway 6.15
Fifth Dist Highway 12.70
General Sewer 120.47
Health 241.77
Light 4039.17
Lateral Sewer 38.08
Chipman St. Sewer No. 3 5.80
C. D. & M. St. Sewer 26.50
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Comstock St. Sewer No. 4 55.91
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